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THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:

HOWARD GORDON ZOLLA

SERIAL NO.: 10/041,004

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FOR: FEATURE SIZE REDUCTION IN THIN
FILM MAGNETIC HEAD USING LOW
TEMPERATURE DEPOSITION COAT-
ING OF PHOTOLITHOGRAPHICALLY-
DEFINED TRENCHES

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Sir:

AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO FIRST OFFICE ACTION

In response to the First Office Action mailed on November 18, 2003, Applicant hereby amends the subject application, as follows:

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